

N SECOR
#



Re application of: Mark ALLMEN et al.

App. No. 09/809,036

Confirmation No. 5594

Filed: March 16, 2001

For: BIT-RATE ALLOCATION SYSTEM FOR
OBJECT-BASED VIDEO ENCODING

Art Unit: 2631

Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

Atty. Docket No.: 37112-167615

#4

Customer No.:



26694

PATENT TRADEMARK OFFICE

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231
BOX MISSING PARTS

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of April 24, 2001, submitted herewith are the following:

- Inventor Declaration
- Copy of April 24, 2001 Notification of Missing Parts
- Assignment with Certified Cover Letter

Official fees:

Basic Filing Fee	\$710.00
Assignment Recording Fee	40.00
Surcharge for late submission of declaration	130.00
Excess Claim Fee	242.00

Total fees enclosed: \$ 1122.00

Should no remittance be attached, or should any greater or lesser fee be required, please charge or credit our Account No. 22-0261 and advise us accordingly.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: May 23, 2001

Michael A. Sartori, Ph.D.

Registration No. 41,289

VENABLE

P.O. Box 34385

Washington, D.C. 20043-9998

Telephone: (202) 962-4800

Telefax: (202) 962-8300

RK/cas
DC2DOCS # 289769



UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231
www.uspto.gov

APPLICATION NUMBER	FILING/RECEIPT DATE	FIRST NAMED APPLICANT	ATTORNEY DOCKET NUMBER
09/809,036	03/16/2001	Mark Allmen	37112-167615

CONFIRMATION NO. 5594

FORMALITIES LETTER



OC000000005999367

VENABLE
Post Office Box 34385
Washington, DC 20043-9998

Date Mailed: 04/24/2001

NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$242.
 - \$162 for 9 total claims over 20.
 - \$80 for 1 independent claims over 3 .
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 1082.

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.

Customer Service Center

Initial Patent Examination Division (703) 308-1202

PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE

05/24/2001 AZERGAH1 00000165 09809036
01 FC:101 710.00 OP
02 FC:103 162.00 OP
03 FC:102 80.00 OP
04 FC:105 130.00 OP